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DELAYED TRASH & RECYCLABLES COLLECTION IN HARTFORD DUE TO THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY, OBSERVED MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 2005.

Hartford residents, please be reminded that trash and recyclables <u>will not</u> be collected on Monday, January 17, 2005 due to Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday. Waste collection will operate on a one day delayed schedule in the three Customer Service Work Areas. Collection for this holiday week will take place from Tuesday, January 18th to Saturday, January 22, 2005. Please be reminded that during a holiday week, our Waste & Recycling staff will work on Saturday (unless otherwise announced) to collect Friday's waste and recyclables.

Please place your trash, recyclables, and bulky waste at the curb for pick-up no earlier than 4:00 p.m. on the day before collection or no later than 7:00 a.m. on your collection day. Residents are reminded to place only the city issued trash carts at curbside. All trash bags must be placed inside the carts and the lids must be closed.

Please call the Public Works Customer Service Center at (860) 543-8765 or the Waste & Recycling Office at (860) 543-8609 with any questions. Thank you.